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AUG 13 2010

The Honorable Robert Menendez
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510-3001

Dear Senator Menendez:

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The Honorable Frank R. Lautenberg
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510-3002

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The Honorable Christopher H. Smith
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-3004

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The Honorable John H. Adler
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-3003

Dear Representative Adler:

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The Honorable Albio Sires
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House of Representatives
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